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TELEGRAMS.

HOME RULE.

MR. CHURCHILL AGAIN.

Reuter's
[Service to the "Telegraph."]
London, Received Oct. 10.
Mr. Winston Churchill, speaking at Looe, said he was absolutely unrepentant of his speech in 1912 advocating the Federal system applicable to Scotland, Wales, Ireland, and parts of England. "Now would I live to see the day when the Federal system would be established in these Islands, as the forerunner of a general scheme of Imperial Federation."

Claims From Other Parts.
If the Irish problem could be settled, the ground would be cleared for the consideration of the claims to self-government from other parts of the Empire. A General Election on the Home Rule question would not settle the Irish problem. Meanwhile the door was open, and no fair proposition designed to promote a settlement was barred.

Other Issues.
When the Government appealed to the people next there would be other issues more important than the ratification of the Home Rule Bill, namely, great measures connected with the Constitutional system and the system of land tenure.

Mr. Bonar Law and Mr. F. E. Smith discussed Mr. Winston Churchill's speech on Thursday. Mr. Smith will speak to-night at West Bromwich.

Mr. Smith's Speech.

London, Received Oct. 11.

Mr. F. E. Smith speaking at West Bromwich, emphasised the fact that the opinions he expressed were entirely his own as he had had no time in which to consult his colleagues.

Mr. Churchill, he said, was ludicrously in the wrong in thinking that Home Rule could be forced on Ulster under the Parliament Act.

Guns Ready.

In four months there would be four hundred thousand North of Ireland guns on shoulders ready to resist Home Rule. But Mr. Churchill, he said, had shown a knowledge of the fundamentals, facts which none of his colleagues had publicly admitted.

No Compromise.
Mr. Smith pointed out that the temporary exclusion of Ulster which Mr. Churchill admitted as possible could only be ended with Ulster's consent. There could be no compromise based on Ulster's inclusion.

HOME RACING.

CESAREWITCH BETTING.

London, Received Oct. 11.
Betting on the Cesarewitch is as follows:—

- 9 to 1 Fantasio.
- 10 to 1 Night Hawk.
- 100 to 8 Wagstaff.
- 100 to 8 Grave Greek.
- 100 to 7 Anneer.
- 100 to 6 Wilfrid.
- 100 to 6 Candytail.
- 25 to 1 Chorlton.
- 100 to 3 Mistinguet.

OBITUARY.

PRINCE KATSURA.

London, Received Oct. 11.
Reuter's correspondent at Tokyo reports the death of Prince Katsura, who was three times Prime Minister.

TELEGRAMS.

PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS.

A SUCCESSFUL FUNCTION.

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London, Received Oct. 11.

Reuter's correspondent at Peking states that Yuan Shih-kai was inaugurated as President yesterday. Thereafter a review of troops was held and proved most successful and without a hitch.

Assassination Plot.
Chen, chief of the mounted police, has been arrested. His house was searched and bombs were found. Chen has confessed that the Southern rebels had bribed him to attempt to assassinate President Yuan. Suspicion was aroused through Chen seeking a position in ceremonies near the President.

Progress Favoured.
Reuter's correspondent at Peking states that President Yuan Shih-kai, in his Presidential address, said that he favoured progress but not extreme radical methods. He emphasised the point that capital and education were essential for the development of China.

Reply to Diplomats.
Afterwards, in reply to an address from the diplomats, he assured them that treaties and contracts would be strictly observed and the rights of foreigners respected.

ROYAL WEDDING.

ADDRESS OF CONGRATULATION.

London, Received Oct. 10.
The Lord Mayor and Corporation called at Clarence House and presented Prince Arthur of Connaught and his bride with an Address of congratulation in a gold casket.

NEW MAP OF HONGKONG.

On Two and a Half Inch Scale.

The War Office has issued two sheets, dated February, 1913, showing the Island of Hongkong and part of the leased territory immediately to the north. The area covered by the two sheets is 13 miles by 16 miles, the scale adopted is 2 1/2 in. to the mile, and the map-surface of each sheet is 32 in. by 20 in. The map is of beautiful execution—in three colours, every customary indication is clearly marked, as well as soundings and 50 ft. contours. It is to be hoped that the rest of the leased territory may ultimately be mapped on the same scale. The map is published at 2s. per sheet and may be obtained in London from E. Stanford, Long-acre and in China, from Messrs. Kelly and Walsh.

IN AUGUST COMPANY.

Berlin, September 6.—Major-General Leonard Wood, who will attend this year's Grand or "Kaiser" manoeuvres in Silesia, September 5 to 10, at the personal invitation of Emperor William, will find himself in August company. The Emperor's other guests include General Pollio, chief of the general staff of the Italian army; General Ramon Ruiz, chief of the general staff of the army of the Argentine Republic; the King of Saxony; Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, head of the Bavarian army; Prince Friedrich Wilhelm of Prussia, and a long list of distinguished German Generals, headed by Field Marshal Von de Goltz and Count Von Haeseler. The Emperor has invited his sister, the hereditary Princess of Saxony-Meiningen, in her capacity as chief of the Second Silesian Grenadiers, to take part in the campaign on the native soil of her regiment.

TELEGRAMS.

DESTROYER SUNK.

BOILERS BURST.

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London, Received Oct. 11.

Reuter's correspondent at Tokyo states that while the destroyer Ikatsuki, was undergoing her war trials, her boiler exploded and the vessel was cut in two and sank immediately. Two men were killed and sixteen injured.

PANAMA CANAL.

LAST BARRIER REMOVED.

London, Received Oct. 11.

Reuter's correspondent at Panama states the Sombon Dike, the last great barrier on the line of the canal, was successfully blown up at two o'clock yesterday afternoon.

CHURCH SERVICES.

St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong, 12th October, 21st Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion (8.15 a.m.) Matins (11 a.m.) Responses: Ferial; Venite: Burrows; Psalms: of the 12th morning; Te Deum: Woodward; Smart, Tudor; Benedictus: Troutbeck; Hymns: 540, 242, 532. Evening (5.45 p.m.) (Full Choir) Responses: Ferial; Psalms: of the 12th evening; Magnificat: Steane; in F; Nunc Dimittis: Steane; in F; Anthem: "O that thou bearest" Sullivan. Hymns: 185, 21, Seydolph Amen.

St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon. 21st Sunday after Trinity, 12th October, 1913. Morning Prayer 11 a.m. Responses: Ferial; Venite: 12 h. D. y. Psalms: As set; Te Deum: St. Jude, Benedictus: Troutbeck; Hymns: 247, 131, 907. Evening Prayer, 6 p.m. Hymn: 280. Responses: Ferial; Psalms: As set; Magnificat: Barnby in D; 18th morn; Nunc Dimittis: Wickes even; Hymns: 230, 222. 27, Vesper-Hymn.

St. Peter's Church, Sunday Oct. 12th. Holy Communion 8 a.m. Morning Services 11 a.m. Preacher—The Bishop of Victoria. Evening Service at Seamen's Institute, 7.30 p.m.

Christian Science Church, MacDonnell Road, Sundays 11.15 a.m., Wednesdays 5.30 p.m. Union Church, Kennedy Road. Harvest Festival Services Sunday October 12th. Morning, Worship at 11 a.m. Hymns: 494, 575, 405, 497, Anthem: "O Lord how manifold." Evening at 6, Hymns: 380, 498, 320, 320, Anthem, Preacher Rev. J. Kirk Macdonnell.

TELEGRAMS.

STRIKE TROUBLES.

RIOTING AT BATTERSEA.

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London, Received Oct. 10.

Strike rioting necessitating baton charges by the police occurred on Thursday at Battersea, where employees in the sugar refineries, on resuming work, were assailed with tomatoes and other missiles. The mob was largely composed of women.

At Leeds and Dublin. There was also trouble at Leeds, where carters held up drays; at Dublin, where the drivers of railway lorries were stoned; and at Swords, County Dublin, where farm labourers drove back cattle, which were en route to Dublin, and threw stones and bottles at the police escort.

TRADE REVIEW.

Chamber of Commerce Report on Past Fortnight.

The Fortnightly Prices Current and Market Report issued by the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, offers the following notes on trade during the past two weeks:—

Cotton Piece Goods.—During the interval only a small business is reported from first hands. Dealers will not pay any advances on last pieces as yet but goods are moving freely and stocks must be replenished sooner or later. On Tuesday Mid. American Cotton declined to 7.703.

Fancy Cotton Goods.—Since we last wrote a good business has been done all round the Market for May/June shipment next year. The chief demand has been for Blacks but sales are also reported of Plain and Figured Poplins, low Broadcades, and goods are moving freely.

Cotton Yarn.—A small business has been transacted. Speculators were the principal buyers and put up values by \$1.00 to \$2.00 per bale for favourite spinnings. Market closes quiet in sympathy with the decline in Cotton. Quotations are:—No. 10s at \$108/133. No. 12s at \$115/134. No. 16s at \$128/145. No. 20s 131/150. Arrivals 14,600 bales. Sales 6,000 bales. Shipments 500 bales. Bargains 65,000 bales. Unsold stock 34,000 bales.

Woolens.—No change. Business so far has not come up to expectations, and market is still suffering from surplus stocks bought during the speculative period of 1911.

Metals.—The market has again been quiet. Sales of Bars at the equivalent of 113/6 c.i.f. and Round Rods at 124/0 c.i.f. are reported. Galvanised Wire, has also been done in small lots. Tin plates are weak. Wire Nails are lower locally. Steel has been done at the equivalent of 12/6 c.i.f. per box for 3-4 inch specification.

Flour.—American Market: The position remains practically unchanged, and during the past fortnight practically no sales of importance have taken place. Australian Market: The difference between the local market and prices offered by Millers is too great to permit of sales. Local Market: Clearances for the up country markets has been fairly good, but prices show no inclination to advance at present. Stocks have been reduced to about 800,000 sacks, and arrivals have been very small. Quotations:—

Patents M \$2.35/2.47 per bag; Cut Offs \$2.18/2.18 per bag; Striptight \$2.13/2.16 per bag; Seconds \$2.08/2.12 per bag. Coals.—Prices for next year delivery advancing. Sugar.—Fairly brisk business in Java, &c.; qualities at advanced rates. Saltpetre.—3,500 bags, Market steady and improving.

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TRADES UNIONISM.

MINERS' POLITICAL FUND.

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The Miners' Federation, at a Conference at Scarborough, reported that a ballot of the members showed a majority of 87,000 in favour of the establishment of a Political Fund.

The Conference also resolved to approach other Trades Unions with a view to their co-operation and support of each other's demands.

COMPANY MEETING.

The Dairy Farm, Ltd.

The seventeenth ordinary yearly meeting of the shareholders in the Dairy Farm Co. Ltd. was held at 12.30 p.m. to-day at the offices of the company when Mr. J. Scott Harston presided. There were also present Dr. J. W. Noble and Mr. F. Maitland, directors, Messrs. Chan Tong, P. Testa, T. Oliphant, H. W. Page, J. Jack, J. McCubbin, shareholders; J. Walker, manager and M. Manuk secretary.

The Chairman:—Gentlemen, it being now past the hour for which the meeting has been convened I will call upon the secretary to read the notice.

The secretary having read the notice convening the meeting, the chairman said:—

Gentlemen, as the report and accounts have already been in your hands for some time, I will, with your permission, adopt the usual course and treat them as read.

As you will observe from the Profit and Loss Account for the year ending 31st March 1913, the sum of \$15,963.10 as detailed in that account a balance to the company's credit of \$80,110.27 which the directors propose to appropriate as follows:—

- (a) To pay a dividend of \$1.30 per share absorbing \$52,000.00
- (b) To place to the credit of the Typhoon and Insurance Fund ... 8,000.00
- (c) To place to the credit of a fund for the equalisation of dividends ... 20,000.00
- (d) To carry forward to the next account ... 110.27

\$80,110.27

In adopting the above course your directors are following their previous policy of endeavouring to secure the company's position in the future by gradually building up suitable reserves with a view to enabling it not only to successfully withstand the averages of possible adversity in coming years, but also to do so with impunity to shareholders in relation to dividends; and with this object in view your directors have considered it advisable not only to add \$8,000 to the Typhoon and Insurance Fund, but also to place \$20,000 to the credit of a fund for equalisation of dividends—a mode of procedure which they venture to think will meet with your hearty approbation.

Turning to the past year's working, I may mention that our turnover maintains its improvement and that in particular our dairy fed pork is being more and more appreciated as is shown by the constant call therefor. The quality of the milk has throughout been maintained at its high ratio of excellence which is such as to ensure a constantly increasing demand for its supply.

During the past year your directors have taken steps to increase the accommodation at the company's depot, and the necessary alterations and additions are now proceeding under

TELEGRAMS.

KAISER AND SON-IN-LAW.

PRESS DEMANDS.

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Reuter's correspondent at Berlin states that the press is fiercely denunciatory of the statement regarding Prince Ernst Augustus, embodied in the semi-official communiqué issued yesterday. It demands unconditional renunciation by the Prince, and declares that the Emperor's honour and responsibility to the nation are involved.

the supervision of Messrs. Leigh and Orange. The extension in this respect should, when completed, considerably enhance the company's ability to deal with the continued expansion of its business in new and handsome premises which will shortly be thrown open to the public.

I deem this a fitting opportunity to make reference to the retirement of Mr. Osborne from the Company's Board of Directors in February last. In sound judgment and careful foresight, coupled with ability and willingness for hard work, Mr. Osborne stood second to none in the company which has benefited so much in the past from his services, sadly misses his good offices now.

In concluding these remarks I would emphasise the indebtedness of both the shareholders and the directors to the Company's manager, secretary and staff for their unremitting care and attention to the company interests, since it is in a large degree owing to this important circumstance that the company has been enabled not only to maintain but add to its prosperity.

Before moving the adoption of the report and accounts as presented, I shall be glad to answer, to the best of my ability, any questions that may be asked.

The Chairman:—Gentlemen, there being no questions I beg to propose that the report and accounts as presented be adopted.

Mr. Testa:—It affords me great pleasure to second the proposition. In addition, speaking on behalf of the shareholders, we offer our congratulations for the very fine report, which you and the staff have turned out.

The Chairman:—Proposed by myself and seconded by Mr. Testa that the report and accounts as presented be adopted. Those in favour please signify in the usual manner. Against—carried unanimously.

The Chairman:—The next business is the election of directors. Mr. McCubbin:—I beg to propose the re-election of Dr. J. W. Noble and Mr. J. Scott Harston for the ensuing year.

Mr. Oliphant:—I have much pleasure in seconding that.

The Chairman:—Proposed by Mr. McCubbin and seconded by Mr. Oliphant that Dr. J. W. Noble and myself be re-elected directors. Those in favour please signify in the usual manner—against, carried unanimously.

The chairman:—The next business is the re-election of the auditor. Mr. Walker:—I beg to propose the re-election of Mr. A.O.D. Gourdin as our company's auditor for the present year at a remuneration of \$200.

Mr. Jack:—I have much pleasure in seconding that.

The chairman:—That concluded the business, gentlemen. Thank you for your attendance. Dividend warrants are now ready.

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

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THE NEWS CONDENSED.

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LOCAL.

The yearly meeting of the Dairy Farm Co., Ltd., was held to-day.

"Hongkong twenty-five years ago" appears to-day under the heading of "1888."

Messrs. Wright and Hornby's weekly share report appears elsewhere in this issue.

The transport Soudan took up her moorings in the man-of-war anchorage at 3.30 yesterday.

DON'T FORGET.

TO-DAY.

Victoria Theatre, 9.15 p.m.
Bijou Theatre, 9.15 p.m.

TO-MORROW.

Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m.
Bijou Theatre 9.15 p.m.

Monday, October 13.
Bank Holiday.

Saturday, October 18.
The China Light and Power Co., Ltd.—noon.

Saturday, October 25.
"Twelfth Night," Theatre Royal—9.15 p.m.

Tuesday, October 28.
Twelfth Night, Theatre Royal—9.15 p.m.

Thursday, October 30.
"Twelfth Night," Theatre Royal—9.15 p.m.

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OUR CONTEMPORARIES.

Daily Press.

Shakespearean Audiences.
In view of the announcement that a talented combination of local amateurs will produce the Shakespearean comedy "Twelfth Night" a fortnight hence, a few observations on Shakespeare as a scenographer will have, perhaps, more than casual interest for the general reader. It is commonly accepted by art historians that the Shakespearean stag was a most primitive, almost symbolic, arrangement. It was more a podium than a stage, without any of the illusions which are possible in our modern up-to-date theatre. It could not produce any of the artistic revelations of the painter nor any of the technical wonders of the electrician. In a word, it was a very primitive stage. Celebrated historians and critics of Shakespeare have explained the relation of this very barren stage and the effect on the spectator of the time in this manner: that the audiences of the Golden Era of the Elizabethan dramatists were most naive and receptive and most willingly renounced the pleasantness of a strong illusion. The people of that time had more imagination, than our great crowds of to-day and they willingly followed the poet in what he had to say and what he had to suggest. Is there not a possibility that this universally accepted favourable opinion about the audience of that time is, subject to a fundamental misunderstanding of the Shakespearean drama? Why should we rate the Shakespearean audiences higher, than he did himself?

China Mail.

The Philippines New Governor.
While the choice of Francis Burton Harrison to succeed W. Cameron Forbes as Governor-General of the Philippines does it call forth uniformly eulogistic comment from supporters of the Administration, says the *Literary Digest* of New York. Many simply take the appointment as a sign that President Wilson is now to work out his own Philippine policy, and they take the opportunity of setting forth their opinion of it. A Democratic daily like the *New York World* admits that this "is not a heavy-weight appointment." The best that another friend of the Administration, the *New York Evening Post*, can say about Mr. Harrison is that he is a "consistent anti-imperialist," and it is surprised that "Mr. Wilson should have chosen for this place one of the rich young men who have so long lent respectability to Tammany Hall and contributed so freely to the Boss's treasury."

South China Morning Post.

The Estimates.

Under the heading of Education, provision is made for the establishment of a school at the Peak. This has been a crying need for many years and no one will, we are sure, grudge the parents of the Hill District the attention that has at last been paid to their plaint. It only remains for the parents to support the school and justify the Government in its recognition of the needs of Peak children. That everlasting bone of contention the Military contribution to the Imperial Government goes on increasing. The more revenue the Government has to raise, to meet expenses the more, under the iniquitous system of calculation of this item, has it to pay to the Imperial Government. Next year the Defence Contribution will show an increase of \$256,194 and for no reason other than that the revenue, wholly regardless of expenditure, increases. Again we would appeal to the Government to represent this grave hardship to the Home authorities.

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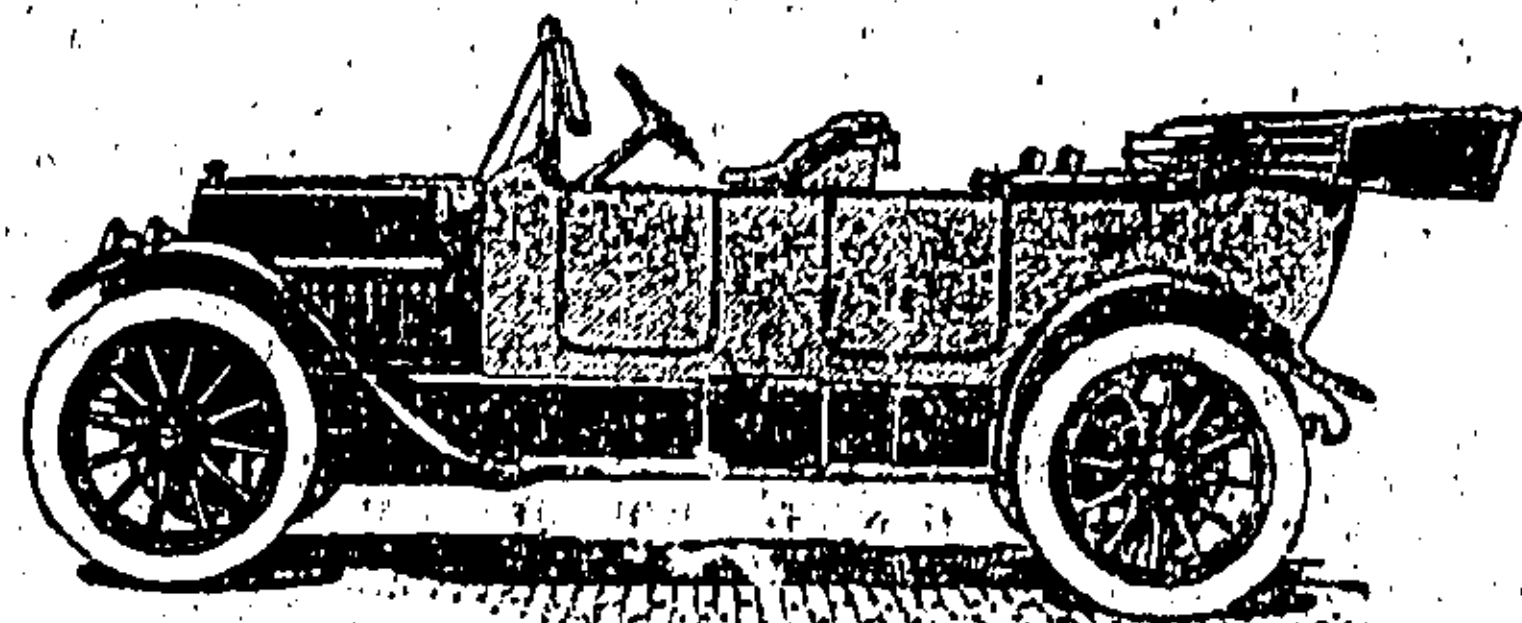


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SHORT STORY.

THE MORTGAGE.

BY JOSEPHINE DASKAM BACON.

(Continued from last Saturday)

"I—I almost wish he had!" she flung out.

"Ah, my dear, my dear! Where ignorance is bliss, oh? And you blame us because we've helped you out, that way, so many generations! Don't you see that the truth is more important to Max than the fact he might have concealed?"

"I see that he thought so."

"Not only that—it is so."

"Father! Do you mean to tell me it's more important for a man to be truthful than to be good?"

"There is no doubt of it, Lucia," as you understand.

"Then it applies to me just as much!"

The doctor reached his arm carefully over her bent head and shook off his long cigar ash.

"Is that what the suffragists are really getting at?" he asked.

"Was it the kitchen all the time?"

"Father!"

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Max that was likely to injure the next generation, you would have heard of it long before now from me. Because you know that I shouldn't have been so delighted with the whole affair and done all I could to bring it about. No, no, my dear. There are many men who, in justice to the next generation, should never be allowed to marry our daughters, and if our daughters persistently refused to marry them, the race would bless the day that opened their eyes. But Max is not one of them."

"Then you think that I—"

"I think that you are suffering from a very old malady, my dear, that was bad enough when your father endured it one by one. Now that you add to its personal pangs the irritation of a collective grievance, it becomes a greater and more dangerous force, but I can't see that it is essentially different."

"You mean—"

"You won't like it, Lucia!"

"Go on, please, father."

"It is called jealousy," said Dr. Starchon quietly. "You used to say, 'How could you? How could you? I don't!' Now you say, 'If I can't, you shall!' For all I know, one may accomplish where the other failed, my dear."

"But you don't think so?"

"I don't say not."

"Oh, no! But if I should behave as Max has—"

Lucia stopped abruptly and brooded herself for the storm.

"Well, my dear?"

Her father's voice was calmly speculative and she went on.

"If I should behave as he did, wouldn't that affect the next generation either?"

"More so, I imagine, than any other one thing that could happen to it, Lucia!"

"Oh, how unjust you are! How sickeningly unfair!"

"Unfair?" he repeated, in obvious surprise. "I unfair? What have I to do with it? Did I plan this little interlude of human life on this particular ball of earth?"

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POLITICAL TRICKERY.

The friendly societies at Home have apparently found out the Government. They complain of a lack of straightforwardness on the part of Ministers, and Home papers show constantly that some curious misunderstandings occur following private interviews with Ministers. But the Friendly Societies do not stand alone in discovering that the Ministers now in Power are "a tricky lot." They have been that all along. They were returned to office in 1906 by the Chinese slavery cry. The second election they fought on the Budget, which was to bring about a new earth, and on the reform of the House of Lords, which they had no intention of effecting and which they have since consistently avoided. Their trickery during and since the election in December 1910 was greater than ever before. To it, indeed, is due the present parlous political state at Home.

It will be remembered that, at the last election, they scornfully dismissed Home Rule as a "bogey." The Unionist allegation that they were pledged to Mr. Redmond was airily waved aside. Deliberately to deny what they knew to be true was bad enough, but their trickery went deeper than that. During the election Unionists stated their conviction that the majority returned on one issue would be employed for another, and the Government now claim that as sufficient mandate. In effect they say: "You were right. We did mean to run Home Rule, and we knew it at the time. You knew it, too. Therefore you have nothing to complain of." To play the political game in that fashion is to play it with loaded dice. It seems impossible for Mr. Lloyd George and his friends to deal fairly either with the electorate or with the House of Commons. The Marconi scandal was another instance of want of candour and of word juggling. Mr. Lloyd George told the House of Commons that he had no English Marconi shares, but he deliberately concealed the fact that he had had considerable dealings in American Marconis; and, when his offence was brought home to him, he offered no word of apology for his want of straight dealing with the House. Nor has he shown any regret since. His method of trying to whiten his character is to try and besmirch other, and better, people.

Even now the same old dark game is being planned. A general election is to be held after the Home Rule Bill becomes law, not before. But the mind of the electorate is not to be permitted to deliberate a plain issue. It must be confused by the Liberal party is to have a chance of success. That is the purpose of the great land scheme about to be thrust upon the country. At all costs the electorate must be prevented from deciding, for good and all, on the great issue before the country. This is political trickery at its worst. It seems to us however, that the Opposition holds the winning hand here; they, at least, can do much to ensure that the electorate will vote on a straight issue—Home Rule or not—if they decline to be drawn in a sidepath.

The Race for Armaments.

Mr. Churchill spoke very plainly at Dundee regarding the need for Great Britain making up for lost time in the matter of armaments. He spoke sound common sense, too, when he remarked that there was more danger of ill-will between nations through a panic arising from want of proper preparation than from the calm assurance of strength. Nations are like men; the more likely they are to emerge successful from a fight, the more do they abstain from fighting until it is actually forced upon them and becomes imperative. Great Britain cannot afford to be left behind in the race for armaments. That is why the growing sense of imperial union, in the matter of defence, which is so strongly manifested to-day, is the healthiest of all signs for Empire. That is why, too, it is a thousand pities that the Dominions receive so little moral support from the Home Government in their efforts to promote the defensive solidarity of the Empire.

The Cost of War.

Admittedly the cost of war, and of preparations against possible war are great; but the cost of defeat would be infinitely greater; and that is what so many Little Navyites appear to forget. Figures were given recently which showed what was the cost, in men and money, of the recent wars in the Balkans, but even these were hardly so illuminating as the figures affecting Austria Hungary which were published the other day. Austria was a non-combatant, yet supplementary credits to the amount of \$18,000,000 are rendered necessary by recent mobilizations. The fact has got to be faced that no country can adopt a cheese-paring policy, in the matter of war preparations, and yet remain safe. The best insurance against war is such an offensive force as will make other nations afraid. And that insurance should be maintained whatever the annual premiums cost.

CRICKET.

Annual Meeting of Craigengower Club.

The annual general meeting of the Craigengower Cricket Club was held yesterday evening at the Club pavilion, when Mr. W. D. Braidwood the president occupied the chair, presiding over a good attendance of members.

The Hon. Secretary Mr. R. Bass presented his annual report for last season which stated:—In the league competitions, of the fifteen matches played, 8 were won, 6 lost, and one drawn, the club having fulfilled all its fixtures. On the whole the result of the season may be considered satisfactory. In the batting averages Mr. E. L. Braga headed the list with 245 for fifteen matches, scoring thereby his first win for the Bellicios Challenge Cup. Mr. H. H. Taylor was again the best in bowling with an average of 9.5.

In the tennis league competition the result was very poor and this was due to the small number of players in this branch of the sport. The club tournament held in the season resulted as follows:—Scratch singles, Mr. E. L. Braga; Mr. W. H. Vivesh; 2; Singles Handicap Mr. W. L. Vivesh; 1; Mr. E. L. Braga; 2; Doubles Handicap: Messrs E. L. Braga and D. Kharas. The number on the roll is 87. The pavilion is in good condition. The accounts show a balance of \$1,528 56. The thanks of the club are due to the president for his annual prizes.

In moving the adoption of the report, the chairman said that it was proposed to open a bowling green on the ground. They had a most successful year's working as a result of which they expected to pay off about fifty debentures. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Mr. W. D. Braidwood; Mr. R. Bass hon. secretary; Mr. G. Rapp, hon. treasurer; Mr. L. A. Ross, Captain; Mr. E. L. Braga, vice captain. Committee:—Dr. F. H. Kew, Messrs E. A. Carvalho, W. Allen, H. H. Taylor, W. L. Vivesh, and D. K. Kharas.

The proceedings closed with a vote of thanks to Mr. Mody for the provision of electric light and fittings to the club and with the presentation of the prizes to winners set out below.

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Silk Delivered.

The silk shipped from Hongkong by R.M.S. "Empress of Russia," on September 10 reached New York on October 5.

Valuation of Houses.

It is ordered that a valuation of the tenements in the Colony for the year commencing 1st July, 1914, shall be made before the 30th day of April, 1914, or as soon thereafter as may be.

Pigeon Shooting.

At the Victoria Clay Pigeon Shooting Club, adjacent to the Belle View Hotel, Captain Branch won the silver cup in the competition, which was held there on Wednesday.

Criminal Sessions.

It is notified in the Gazette that His Honour the Chief Justice has directed that the next Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be held on Monday, October 20 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Bellicios Public School.

In the Oxford Local Examinations, the following pupils have passed "Junior Exam."—Mabel Chenalloy, Lai Po-yuk, Cecilia Yowkey. "Preliminary Exam."—Lillian Chenalloy, Florence Chenalloy, Maria Xavier.

Stealing Coal.

Inspector Gerard charged a Chinese before Mr. Hazzaad, at the Police Court, this morning, with stealing a quantity of coal from the Misses Bishi Goshi Kaisha, at Yau-mat. A sentence of one month's imprisonment and four hours' stocks was passed.

No Claimant for Opium.

At the Police Court, this morning, Inspector Kerr applied to Mr. Wood for the forfeiture to the Crown of 600 lbs. of opium found on board the s.s. Aldenham. He said that no one had come forward to claim the opium. The request was granted.

Regulament Service at Macao.

A Special Requiem Service will be held at the Macao Cathedral on the 16th inst. at 9 a.m. by the initiative of the ex-pupils of the late Rev. Father Genovesi S.J.; the Secretary of the Bishop of Macao will deliver a *Naison funebre* during the service. Both the ex-pupils and friends of Hongkong are cordially invited to attend.

TRANSPORT ARRIVES.

The transport Soudan arrived in the Harbour yesterday afternoon, with the 2nd Battalion Gloucestershire Regiment, and drafts and details for other units at Tientsin.

The officers travelling by the Soudan are:—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Hobbs, Major B. O. Fyffe, R. Conner, and G. F. Gardner, Captains F. E. Nisbett, T. W. T. Isaac, D. J. B. McMahon, A. F. Chapman, H. B. Spear, and W. P. S. Ford, Lieutenants F. C. Finch, H. F. L. Hilton, Green, G. B. Bosnquet, A. C. Vicary, E. G. H. Power, J. R. Guild, C. E. Gardner, L. A. W. B. Lechlan, and W. H. Parkinson, Second Lieutenants D. K. Gannier, J. B. Smalley, O. S. W. Greenland, L. H. Cox, B. A. Caspel-Cure, and E. D. O. Apin, and Lieutenant and Quartermaster E. H. Dinham. R.A.M.O.—Captain Bell and Lieut. Christie, A.S.C.—Major Airey, Captain Hamilton and Lieut. Wright.

While in port hospitality is being extended by the D.O.I.I., and tomorrow the vessel proceeds to Chinwangtao which will be reached on October 19.

Lieutenant Carter travelled from Singapore to Hongkong by the same boat.

THE "TELEGRAPH'S" ACROSTIC.

FOR SUNDAY'S LEISURE.

PILL RS.

Hail Leander! Splendid is it Hero nightly thus to visit.

BARS.

1.—Better be without a clot Than be seen without the lot.

2.—May be long or may be broad—

3.—"Ware the fleeing Parthian horde."

"The Forum's champion, and the people's chief—"

"Hor new-born Numa, thou— with reign, etal too brief!"

4.—Jeremiah's medicine here we meet—

"Somehow the bishops made it far too sweet."

5.—Curious gambling here is found.

If you'll only turn it round.

6.—Tom and Toby, Sam and Remus (To name another won't besem us.)

7.—Bears in joy and bulls in gloom—

Bounce along another boom.

[Answer on Monday.]

1888.

HONGKONG TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

Compiled from the "Hongkong Telegraph" files for the Week Ending October 11, 1888.

Strained Relations.

October 5.—"The strained relations between the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company, Limited, and the Canton Customs authorities continue and show no signs of abatement. The night steamers are being regularly stopped below the Bogue forts and rigorously searched, and at Canton everything is being done to facilitate the regular work of the steamers. In fact, every possible obstacle is purposely put in the way, with the result that the life of a steamboat company's skipper, like the proverbial policeman's is anything but an easy or a happy one. It is a very great pity that such an unwholesome state of affairs should exist. Doubtless there have been mistakes on both sides. [We seem to have seen the editor of those days somewhat more original in his comments.]

Sanitary Board.

October 5.—"Fortnightly conclave (of Sanitary Board) yesterday. Only three members and no chairman for a while. Captain Deane uneasy; this will never do—meaning what will the papers say? Everybody getting ready to go home again when Colonial Surgeon and two more members turn up and settle it. [Things are managed better to-day. The members do turn up and turn off again in record time.]

Opening Cricket Match.

October 6.—"The opening match of the Hongkong cricket season was commenced yesterday. The first twelve played the Remainder, who numbered twenty-seven. Despite their numbers the Remainder scored only 130 runs while the Twelve ran up a score of 184. E. J. Coxon was top scorer for the Twelve with 45.

Benefit Concert.

October 8.—"The benefit concert given in the Theatre Royal on Saturday by the Lily minstrels and a few of the members of the St. Patrick's all Amateurs, for the family of assistant-warrior Ferreira, proved a pronounced success. The house was well-filled, although the presence of a few more civilians would have helped the receipts considerably and shown that the general public recognised their obligations to their servants and the merits of the object."

The Injured Innocents.

"The four coolies who were charged with stealing goods to the value of \$130 from a house near where the last fire was in Queen's Road were brought up on remand this morning, before

LAS GYMKHANA MEETING.

Moderate Attendance on the Racecourse To-day.

There was a very small attendance at the Racecourse this afternoon when the field for the first event of the last Gymkhana of the season was weighing out. The sun was shining brightly and a cool breeze blew across the course.

Amongst those who made an early appearance in the enclosure were Messrs H. P. White, B. Atton, Hickman, Soares, Master, Seth, Stewart and Gegg.

The Officials were:—Patrons:—His Excellency Mr. Ould Severn, His Excellency Vice-Admiral T. H. M. Jerram, O.B.; His Excellency M. J. General F. H. Kelly, C. B.; Commodore R. H. Anstruther, R.N., C.M.G.

Committee:—The Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club, (Ex-Officio.)

H. P. White, Esq. The Hon. Mr. David Landale, D. M. Ross, Esq. G. K. Hall Bruton, Esq. Major F. A. Dickinson.

Major-General F. H. Kelly, Judge.

R. F. O. Master, Esq.,—Handicapper.

A. Charlton, Esq.,—Clerk of the Scales.

M. S. Sassoon, Esq.,—Time Keeper.

R. F. O. Master, Esq.,—Hon. Sec. and Treasurer.

By kind permission of Major Dickinson and Officers, the Band of the 2nd Batt., Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, played the following Selections:—

1.—Spanish March "Machaquito" Perales.

2.—Two Hungarian Dances (Nos. 5 and 6) Brahms.

3.—Selection "The Dollar Princess" Fall.

4.—Valse "Sumurum" Hollander.

5.—Serenade d'Amour. Von Blon.

6.—Selection "The Pink Lady" Oaryl.

7.—Intermezzo "Rendezvous" Allet.

8.—March Two Step "The Robert" E. Lee Pether.

Ten ponies turned out for the first race and the general class were so good that speculations were numerous and varied.

Donald Dhu was in good favour amongst those connected with his stable, whilst careful racing men did not leave Sweet William out of their investment.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government arrived with Capt. Connolly just as the ponies were going to the starting post. He was greeted by Mr. H. P. White.

1.—300 p.m.—Gymkhana Stakes—Value \$200. Distance One Mile. For all China Ponies. Catch weights at 10 at 6 lbs.

Winners of an open race or open Griffin race or Ponies, that have won the aggregate prize in the Gymkhana Stakes in any season 5 lbs. extra. Non-winning Subscription Griffin allowed 5 lbs.

Jockeys who have not won more than one Official Race in Hongkong, Shanghai or Tientsin allowed 3 lbs. Jockeys who have won 3 or more Official Races in Hongkong, Shanghai or Tientsin penalised 4 lbs.

A Cup to be run for five times called the Gymkhana Cup will be presented at the end of the season to be won by the Pony scoring most marks in the races for the Gymkhana Stakes during the season, counting 4 points for a first; 2 for a second; and 1 for a third.

The benefit of marks already scored to pass with the Pony on a sale. Any winner of the race to carry 5 lbs. extra for each win in subsequent starts for the Race, but in the event of a Pony carrying the penalty not winning, 2 lbs. to be deducted next time he starts. Such 2 lbs. to remain deducted until he wins again when he will carry the full penalties without deduction. Penalties accumulative up to 15 lbs. In the event of two or more Ponies tying with the same number of marks after five races have been run the owners shall either divide the value of the Cup which is hereby placed at \$400 or shall run off on a day to be fixed by the Committee not being the same day as the last race for the Stakes but within two weeks thereafter. In the event of a run off the weights

(Continued on page 5.)

INTERNATIONAL BANK.

Interim Dividend of five per Cent.

The Manager of the International Banking Corporation informs us that he has received a telegram from his Head Office at New York, advising the declaration of an interim dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. annum for the half year ended June 30, 1913, and that the undivided profits carried forward amount to Gold \$701,877.00.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The Telegram mentioned below was received by the American Consulate General, Hongkong, from the Manila Observatory at 10.10 a.m. to-day:—

Cyclone or Typhoon—East of Luzon less than 300 miles distant moving W. N. W.

Cyclone or Typhoon near or over the Southern Ladrone or Marianas Islands moving W. or W. N. W.

"TELEGRAPH" AND FILIPINOS.

The "Telegraph" and the Filipinos.

(To the Editor of the "China Daily Outlook.")
Sir,—Allow me to answer in the "Outlook" the unwarranted and groundless assertions of the "Telegraph" editorial of yesterday concerning the Philippines and the Filipinos. I did not address this letter to the "Telegraph," because although the object of that paper is "to publish correct information, to serve the truth, and print the news without fear or favour," it does not give publicity to all that is contrary to the interests of American Imperialism of which it is an ardent defender.

What shall we say of a man who says that black is white and vice versa? This is exactly the line of reasoning adopted by the "Telegraph" on the Philippine question, and for this reason, I refrain from refuting its error and sophisms, above all, when it says that "the people whose country the new Governor has to administer are, nine-tenths of them, Asiatics and Malaysians; and of these, thousands are little better than savages, and mutinous and dangerous at that, while thousands more are clamoring for an independence which they would not have the faintest notion of now to use, even if they had it."

Now, the only thing which I want to point out, so that the public of this colony may know how to take the campaigns of "Telegraph," is that it is the property of a rich American gentleman who is personally interested in favor of the retention of the Philippines, because he has invested many of his dollars in business there. That is the main question.

It is the "Telegraph" editor would only look over the old files of his paper, he would probably be surprised to find that about sixteen years ago when the "Telegraph" was owned by different persons, it was the defender of the Filipinos. Oh, how the times have changed—Yours etc.

Gracio Holy.
Hongkong, Oct. 8, 1913.

The above appears in the *China Daily Outlook* under the heading of Correspondence.

That the *Telegraph* is the property of an American (Dr. Noble) is a well known fact.

The opinion of the Proprietor on the question of Philippine Independence has, however, never been expressed in the *Telegraph*, or in any other newspaper it being a subject which, we believe, does not greatly interest him.

The leader in question was not written by the Proprietor or by an American, or under American influence. It was written by an Englishman, one who has had a considerable practical experience amongst the various native races of the East and amongst aborigines. The views of the writer were not influenced by the Proprietor, either by word, look or deed.

When the *Telegraph* has anything to say in favour of the Philippines, the inhabitants, or its government it will do so.

When the *Telegraph* has anything to say against the Philippines, the inhabitants thereof or its government it will not hesitate to publish the same.

The Proprietor of the *Telegraph* is the Proprietor and Publisher not the Leader Writer.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

The following appointments are notified in the Government Gazette.—Mr. William Hill to be a Second Class Sanitary Inspector, with effect from September 23, Mr. Edgar William Carpenter to be an Executive Engineer in the Public Works Department, with effect from July 28.

Lieutenants W. Russell and G. E. Stewart of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps are promoted to the rank of Captain, with effect from the 1st and the 2nd October respectively.

Mr. Arthur Ramsden Cavalier is appointed to act as an Inspector of Schools, with effect from September 20. The Government Notification of August 23 so far as it relates to Mr. R. C. Barlow is cancelled.

SPECIAL CABLES.**INAUGURATION OF THE PRESIDENT.****IMPOSING CEREMONY AT PEKING.**

The Need of Capital and Education.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Singapore, Received Oct. 11.

The inauguration of the President was marred only by rain.

The number of foreigners witnessing the ceremony was strictly limited and included the full staff of the British Legation.

President Yuan arrived in a chair carried by eight bearers and a body guard. The guests, numbering a few hundreds, were already assembled in the Tai Hoi-tien Hall which was used by the Manchus only on the greatest occasions.

President Yuan entered and took the oath. He then read his Presidential speech amid cheers.

Afterwards the President received the Ministers and a dozen diplomats by whom he was addressed and to whom he replied. He afterwards received Prince Pu Lun, representing the Ching Dynasty.

A march past followed in which 18,000 troops took part.

The President's speech was a lengthy one and was a fine review of the situation. In his declaration of policy he said that reforms would come one by one and he urged the need of capital and education.

Celebrations were general in Shanghai. A great reception was held at the Bureau of Foreign Affairs. A torchlight procession was held and flags were flying everywhere. The vessels in the port are decorated and are flying the Republic's Naval ensign.

COMPANY REPORT.**The China Light and Power Company, Limited.**

The report for presentation to the shareholders of the China Light and Power Company, Ltd., Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting to be held at the Office of the general managers on Saturday, October 18, at noon, is as follows:—

Annexed we have the pleasure to lay before shareholders a statement of accounts for the year ending 31st July, 1913.

The net profit for the year, including the sum of \$15,963.55 brought forward and less depreciation on machinery as authorised at last meeting \$10,000, is \$18,429.10. This is an improvement on the net profit of the previous year of \$2,232.87, but not sufficient yet to warrant a dividend.

It is recommended that \$10,000 be written off the value of Machinery, and \$5,000 off the value of Lines, and that the balance of \$3,429.10 be carried forward to next year's account.

The plant has been working satisfactorily throughout the year, with only occasional failures of the light mainly incidental to the weather affecting the overhead wires.

Consulting Committee.—In accordance with the Articles of Association Hon. Sir Paul Chater, O.M.G., and Mr. H. P. White retire but offer themselves for re-election.

Auditors.—The accounts have been audited by Messrs. A. O'D. Gourdin and F. Matland, the latter acting in place of Mr. W. H. Potts. Messrs. A. O'D. Gourdin and W. H. Potts are recommended for re-election.

SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, 9th October 1913.

Profit and Loss Account.

Auditors' fees	200.00
Consulting Committee's fees	750.00
Exchange (Loss on subsidiary coins)	515.82
Charges	1,480.95
Depreciation on Machinery as authorised at annual meeting of 28th Sept., 1912.	10,000.00
Balance	18,429.10
	\$31,375.65

Balance brought forward from last account

Interest

Balance from Working Account

Balance Sheet.

Capital—	
50,000 Shares at \$5.00 each fully paid up	\$250,000.00
50,000 Special Shares at \$1.00 each, fully paid up	50,000.00
	300,000.00
Sundry Creditors...	\$7,603.09
Balance of Profit and Loss Account	18,429.10
	\$326,032.19

Kowloon:—	
Land as per last statement	\$ 30,360.00
Building and Machinery as per last statement	186,331.17
Less Depreciation on Machinery	10,000.00
	\$174,331.17
Since expended	5,785.52
	182,716.69

Lines as per last statement	46,824.69
Since expended	5,143.39
	51,968.18

Materials, Stores & Fuel in stock valued at	22,570.92
Value of premia on unexpired policies	212.70
Sundry Debtors	12,615.23
Cash on hand	73.85
Head Office	217.43
Kowloon	20,897.14
Deposit with Colonial Treasurer	5,000.00
	26,188.42
	\$326,032.19

SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
General Managers.

Auditors' certificate:—We report that we have audited the above balance sheet with the books and vouchers of the Company and that in our opinion such balance sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of that state of the Company's affairs at the 31st July, 1913, according to the best of our information, and the explanations given us, and as shown by the books of the Company. We have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. We have seen the securities, and the stock has been certified to by the General Managers.

A. O'D. GOURDIN, Auditors.
F. MATLAND, Auditors.
Hongkong, 9th October, 1913.

Going Home on Holiday.
By the s.s. China to-day Police Sergeant Pattison and Marks (9) left for home on a well-earned holiday.

DAIRY FARM NEWS.**FRESH MILK**

No careful mother can afford to use any but Pure Fresh Cow's Milk.

Baby's health is of greater moment than the few cents saved in using Tinned or other preserved milk. The Dairy Farm Milk is Pure and Fresh and contains no preservatives of any kind.

"Dairy Farm Milk" means:—
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ANOTHER BANK-NOTE CASE.

Defendant Discharged this Morning.

Before Mr Wood at the Police Court this morning, Chan Sam who was described as an accountant of No. 19 Wing Shing Street, was charged with receiving or having in his possession a quantity of Canton bank-notes and a quantity of Chinese silver military badges which were alleged to have been stolen outside the Colony knowing such property to have been stolen.

Mr. F. C. Jenkin instructed by Mr. Leo. D'Almeida e Castro appeared for the defence.

Sergeant Clarke informed His Worship that that he had instructions to withdraw the prosecution and consent to the bank-notes being delivered to the defendant. The case was accordingly withdrawn and the defendant was discharged.

LAST GYM KHAMMA MEETING.

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Donald Dhu had to be led to the starting post. When the flag fell the ponies were badly placed and Donald Dhu was hopelessly left. Clerio, Floreal, Sweet William and Remy led the field. Thus they ran by the football stand, and by the half-mile post. Donald Dhu was now 50 yards behind the Pioneer. Rounding the first bend Floreal for a moment appeared to be in difficulties, Sweet William pressing him very hard.

In the Straight Floreal made another effort but at the distance post was challenged by Flying Kangaroo, Sweet William coming with a rattle third. 20 yards from the post Floreal and Flying Kangaroo bumped three times, Flying Kangaroo, however, he managed to keep his head in front and eventually increased his lead to a length by which he won, half a length away Sweet William was third. Time 2mins 12.1/5secs.

Dividend:—
Winner \$111.80
Places:—1st \$40.10; 2nd \$8.60; 3rd \$14.70.

Cash Sweep:
Ticket No. 32 1st \$154.35
2 2nd 44.10
6 3rd 22.05
Commission 24.50

Total \$245.00

Fire in Canton.
Some twenty-odd houses in Hung Sang Street, Canton, were destroyed by fire yesterday. In the Wong Sha district some timber yards were also destroyed.

"Joseph's" Critics.
Those who have seen the Biblical play at His Majesty's will, we think, be more disposed to agree with the Rev. R. J. Campbell, who has paid Mr. L. N. Parker the compliment of witnessing "Joseph and His Brethren," than with Sir Dyce Duckworth, who has seen fit to condemn it on hearsay evidence. Mr. Campbell concedes that it is staged in no irreverent fashion, nor will he admit that it is played in a way to shock the religious sensibilities of anyone.—*Globe*

To-day's Advertisements**PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**

s.s. "MANCHURIA."

The above mentioned vessel having arrived consignees of cargo are hereby notified that owing to a fire having occurred on board on or about Oct. 1st 1913 a General Average has been declared and before delivery of cargo can be given the General Average Bond must be duly executed, a deposit of 15% of the invoice value of the goods paid, and valuation statements and copies of invoices furnished.

Cargo will be landed immediately into the Company's godowns at West Point for inspection, and consignees are further notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of all damaged cargo.

Cargo remaining undelivered Saturday, Oct. 18th 1913 at noon will be subject to landing and storage charges.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

No claims against cargo loaded on board since the occurrence of the fire will be entertained unless accompanied by a short delivery note or list of exceptions taken at the time of delivery to consignees and signed for and on behalf of the Pacific Mail S.S. Co. and no claims will be allowed in General Average unless accompanied by certificate from Lloyd's surveyor showing whether damage was caused by either fire, smoke, and/or water.

All claims must be filed on or before November 11th, 1913, otherwise they will not be recognized.

R. C. MORTON,
Agent.
Hongkong, 10th August, 1913. [514]

G. R.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Tuesday, the 14th day of Oct., 1913, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of Crown Land at Pokfulam Road, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 21 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

Lot No.	Area (Acres)	Boundary Measurements (Approximate)	Area (Acres)	Annual Rent	Upset Price
1	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
2	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
3	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
4	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
5	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
6	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
7	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
8	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
9	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0
10	1.5	N. 5. E. W.	1.5	\$ 0	\$ 0

WANTED.

WANTED.—Book-keeper and stenographer, male, one who understands Chinese. Must have good references. State salary expected. C.D.R. c/o "The Telegraph."
Hongkong, 11th Oct., 1913.

TO LET.

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Optional Atlantic Port £71.10.

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WESTWARD.

S.S. "Jelunga," 5,205 tons, Capt. Sullivan, will be despatched

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The above steamers have excellent saloon accommodation for

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Hongkong, Oct. 11th, 1913.

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HONGKONG TO CANTON: CANTON TO HONGKONG:

Saturday, 11th October.

10.00 p.m. "Heungshan," 5.00 p.m. "Fatshan,"

Sunday, 12th October.

10.00 p.m. "Fatshan," 4.00 p.m. "Heungshan,"

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MACAO TO HONGKONG:

Week days at 7.30 a.m. & 2 p.m. Sundays, at 7.30 a.m. & 5 p.m.

SUNDAY, 12th October.

The Company's Steamship,

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and return from Macao at 5 p.m.

N.B.—The Company will also run a steamer from Macao on

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FARES AS USUAL.

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S.S. "Hoi Sang," 457 Tons.

Departures from Macao to Canton on Mon., Wednes., & Fri.,

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Destination.	Subject to Alteration	Sailing Date.
Steamers		

MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP, via Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Suez, and Port Said	Katori Maru Capt. Murai T. 20,000 Kamo Maru Capt. Kawara T. 16,000	WEDNES, 22nd Oct. at daylight. WEDNES, 5th Nov. at daylight.
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VICTORIA, B.O., and SEATTLE, via Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, Yokkaichi, and Yokohama	Sanuki Maru Capt. Noma T. 12,500 Shidzuoka Maru Capt. Irizawa T. 12,500	TUESDAY, 21st Oct. at noon. TUES, 4th Nov. at noon.
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SYDNEY & MELBOURNE, via Manila, Thursday Island, Townsville and Brisbane	Tango Maru Capt. Tominaga T. 13,500 Capt. Takeda T. 9,600	WEDNESDAY, 22nd Oct. at noon. WED'DAY 19th Nov. at noon.
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CALCUTTA, via Singapore and Rangoon	Tosa Maru Capt. Sato T. 12,000	SATURDAY, 18th Oct.
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BOMBAY via Singapore and Colombo	Kawachi Maru Capt. Christensen T. 12,500	FRIDAY, 17th Oct.
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KOBE & Yokohama	Mishima Maru Capt. Sommer T. 16,000	THURS, 3rd Oct. at 11 a.m.
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NAGASAKI, Kobe & Yokohama	Nikko Maru Capt. Takeda T. 9,600	WEDNES, 22nd Oct. at 11 a.m.
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SHANGHAI, Moji and Kobe	Jinsen Maru Capt. Richards T. 5,000	SATURDAY, 11th Oct.
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SHANGHAI, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama	Kirin Maru Capt. Deguchi T. 5,000	WEDNES, 15th October.
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Katori " 20000 " " 25th "

Kumo " 16000 " " 8th April.

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For	Steamers	To Sail
SHANGHAI	Yingchow	11th Oct. at m'night
WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	Kueichow	13th Oct. at 4 p.m.
MANILA, CEBU & ILO	Chinhua	14th Oct. at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI	Anhui	16th Oct. at 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI	Chenan	18th Oct. at m'night

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 MANILA.....Yuensang...Sat., 18th Oct. at 2 p.m.
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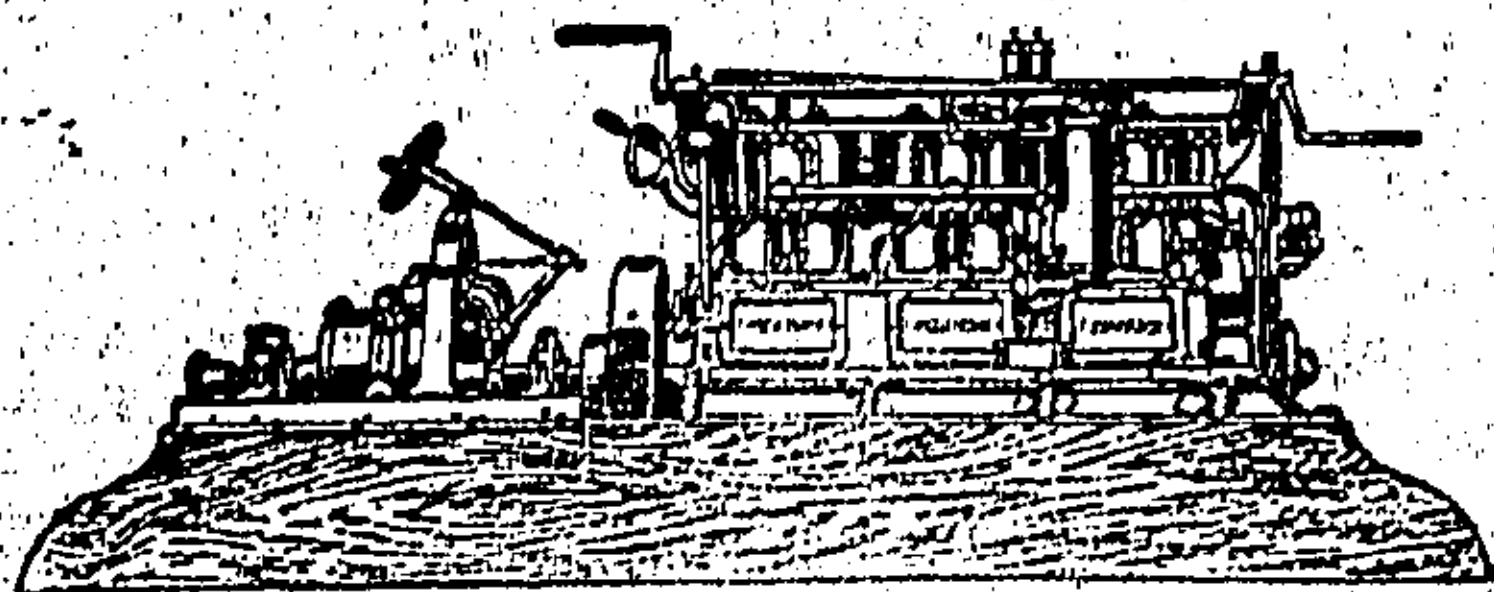
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Havre & Hamburg	Udmark	J. A. L.	23, Oct.
Havre, Bremen & Hamburg &c.	Liberia	S. L. L.	15, Oct.
London & Antwerp via S'pore etc.	Nile	P. & O.	15, Oct.
Port Said	A. Behio	M. M. Co.	21, Oct.
Marseilles London & Antwerp via Singapore &c.	Katori M.	N. Y. K.	27, Oct.
Rottterdam, Hamburg & Antwerp &c.	Sachsen	H. A. L.	12, Oct.
Rottterdam, Hamburg & Antwerp	Bayern	H. A. L.	30, Oct.
N'les, G'oa, A'ra, G'tar, S'ton	Gneisenau	M. & Co.	15, Oct.
Trieste, via Singapore, Penang, Colombo, etc.	Koerber	S. W. Co.	5, Oct.
T'te, Fiume, V'ce, via S'pore etc.	Persia	S. W. Co.	1, Nov.
Mexico, Peruvia & Chile etc.	Anjo Maru	T. K. K.	3, Dec.

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Boston and New York	Montrose	D. & Co.	18, Oct.
Boston and New York	Polaris	B. L.	25, Oct.
San Francisco via Keelung & Japan &c.	Inverclyde	J. M. Co.	End of Oct.
Victoria, V'ce, S'te, T'ma & Pland	hina	P. M. Co.	14, Oct.
Vancouver, via S'hai Japan etc.	Den of Airline	J. M. Co.	16, Nov.
Victoria, B.O. & Seattle via	E. of Japan	J. P. R.	22, Oct.
Shanghai, &c.	Sanuki M.	N. Y. K.	21, Oct.
V'ia B.C. & T'ma via K'lung etc.	Mexico M.	O. S. K.	15, Oct.
Victoria B.C. & Tacoma via	Chicago M.	O. S. K.	30, Oct.
Keelung, etc.	Andalusia	H. A. L.	29, Oct.
Vancouver Seattle and/or	U. of Airline	J. M. Co.	16, Nov.
Tacoma & Pland Or.	Chiyo M.	T. K. K.	17, Oct.
Victoria, Vancouver Seattle,	Manchura	P. M. Co.	21, Oct.
Tacoma & Portland			
San Francisco via Shanghai etc.			
San Francisco via S'hai Japan			

AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports via Manila	Tango M.	N. Y. K.	22, Oct.
Australian Ports via Manila	Aldenharn	G. L. Co.	31, Oct.
Australian Ports via Manila	P. Sigismund	M. & Co.	1, Nov.

SINGAPORE COAST PORTS AND JAPAN.

Yokohama, Kobe and Moji	Fultala	J. M. Co.	Q. desp.
Kobe	P. Sigismund	M. & Co.	14, Oct.
Yokohama, Kobe & Yokkaichi	Luzon Maru	O. S. K.	30, Oct.
Yokohama, Kobe, and Moji	Loyal	J. M. Co.	14, Oct.
Nagasaki, Kobe & Yokohama	Nikko Maru	N. Y. K.	22, Oct.
Shanghai, Yhama, Kobe & Moji	St. Helena	A. N.	1, Nov.
M'ji, Kobe & Yokkaichi	Sigon Maru	S. S. K.	12, Oct.
Kobe & Yokohama	Malama M.	N. Y. K.	23, Oct.
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Kaito Maru	B. & S.	13, Oct.
Shanghai	Tjipanas	J. M. Co.	15, Oct.
Shanghai	Tjipodas	J. M. Co.	15, Oct.
Shanghai	Tjipodas	J. M. Co.	15, Oct.
Yhama and Kobe via Shanghai	Nippon	J. O. J. L.	Q. desp.
Yokohama, Kobe & Moji	Thongwa	D. S. Co.	12, Oct.
Shanghai, T'au, Kobe & Yo'am	Kleist	M. & Co.	15, Oct.
Shanghai	Bohemia	S. W.	1, Nov.
Shanghai	Anhui	B. & S.	16, Oct.
Shanghai	Chenun	B. & S.	8, Oct.
S'hai, Moji, Kobe and Yokohama	Nubia	P. & O.	13, Oct.
Shanghai, Kobe & Moji	Kutsang	J. M. Co.	22, Oct.
Shanghai, Moji, & Kobe	Jinsen M.	N. Y. K.	17, Oct.
Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama	Albania	H. A. L.	17, Oct.
Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yhama	Kirin Maru	N. Y. K.	13, Oct.
Batavia, Ocherbon, Samarang &c.	Tjibodas	J. O. J. L.	Q. desp.
Anping and Takao via Swatow	Sosha Maru	S. S. K.	15, Oct.
Amoy	Kaij Maru	O. S. K.	22, Oct.
Foochow via Swatow & Amoy	Daigi Maru	O. S. K.	19, Oct.
S'pore, Pang, R'gon & C'utta	Tosa Maru	N. Y. K.	8, Oct.
Swatow	Halmun	D. L. Co.	12, Oct.
Swatow, Amoy & Foochow	Haiching	D. L. Co.	17, Oct.
Swatow, Amoy & Foochow	Haiyang	D. L. Co.	21, Oct.
Manila	Yuensang	J. M. Co.	8, Oct.
Shanghai	India	P. & O.	23, Oct.
Manila, Mangarin, Iloilo & Cebu	Rubi	S. T. Co.	14, Oct.
Manila, Cebu and Iloilo	Chinhua	B. & S.	14, Oct.
Singapore, Penang and Calcutta	Yatsang	J. M. Co.	28, Oct.
Manila, Mangarin, Iloilo & Cebu	Zafro	S. T. Co.	24, Oct.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	D. O. J.	14, Oct.
Bombay via Singapore Port	Indo Maru	O. S. K.	23, Oct.
S'ham Penang & Calcutta	Tjilatjap	J. O. J. L.	F. half O.
Java	Tjilatjap	J. O. J. L.	F. half O.
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AMERICAN MAIL.

The P.M. s.s. CHINA will be despatched from this port at 12 o'clock on Tuesday, October 14, for San Francisco, via Manila, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu.

The P.M. s.s. NILE sailed from Yokohama for Hongkong via Manila on Friday, October 18th. The mails were transferred to the s.s. TANGGO MARU due to arrive at Hongkong on the 29th instant.

CANADIAN MAIL.

The C. P. R. s.s. EMPRESS OF INDIA left Yokohama on the 3rd Oct. at 4 p.m. and is due to arrive at Hongkong on the 18th Oct.

The C. P. R. s.s. MONTAGLE left Vancouver on the 2nd inst.

GERMAN MAIL.

The I. G. M. s.s. KLEIST, carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 17th of September, left Colombo on Saturday the 4th of October, at p.m. and may be expected here on or about Wednesday the 15th of October.

AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The E. & A. s.s. Aldenharn left Sydney for this port via Queensland Ports and Manila on 27th ult., and may be expected to arrive here on 28th October.

The I. G. M. s.s. FRINZ SIGISMUND left Sydney on the 28th ult., at 11 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 13th of October.

MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The s.s. RUBI left Manila on the 9th inst., and is due here on 12th inst., 10 a.m.

The H. A. L. s.s. ARABIA left Singapore on the 8th inst., a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 14th inst., a.m.

The Danish s.s. CATHAY left Sabang on the 8th inst., at 1 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 15th inst.

The American and Manchurian Line s.s. City of Baroda left New York on 25th August and is due here on or about 15th October.

The s.s. Glenloch passed the Suez Canal on 30th Sept., for Hongkong via Straits.

The Mogul Line s.s. Lothian sailed from U. K. on 13th September, for Hongkong via the Straits.

The Barber Line s.s. Saint Patrick sailed from New York on 12th ult., for Hongkong.

The N.Y.K. s.s. TAMBA MARU (American Line) left Seattle for this port via ports on the 7th instant and is expected here on the 9th November.

The N.Y.K. s.s. KATORI MARU (European Line) left Yokohama for this port via ports on the 8th instant and is expected here on the 20th instant.

The N.Y.K. s.s. KAWACHI MARU (Bombay Line) left Kobe for this port on the 7th instant, and is expected here on the 16th instant.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Mishima Maru (Europe Line) left Marseilles for this port via ports on the 20th ult., and is expected here on the 22nd October.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Kirin Maru (Calcutta Line) left Calcutta for this port on the 23rd ult., and is expected here on the 12th October.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Nikko Maru (Australia Line) left Melbourne for this port via ports on the 24th ult., and is expected here on the 20th October.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Shidzuka Maru (American Line) left Seattle for this port via ports on the 23rd ult., and is expected here on the 26th October.

The Danish s.s. Cathay has left Port Said on the 16th ult., and may be expected here on or about the 13th of October.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Sanuki Maru (American Line) left Seattle for this port via ports on the 9th ult., and is expected here on the 19th October.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Iyo Maru (European Line) left Shanghai for this port on the 19th ult., and is expected here on the 22nd Oct.

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Commercial

SHARE REPORT.

Messrs Wright and Hornby's weekly share report, dated October 11, states:—

The local market has been fairly active during the week. Langkate and all Shanghai Cotton Stocks have improved considerably but are rather quieter at the close.

Bar Silver is 28½ per oz ready and 29.1-16 per oz for forward delivery market quiet.

Exchange on London opened to-day at 1/11.15-16 T.T.

Para Rubber is quoted from London 3/11 per lb and the market for shares weak.

Banks:—Hongkong & Shanghai Banks have again been done at \$788 and close with further sellers. London quotes £79.

Marine Insurances:—Unions have buyers at \$780. North Chinas are enquired for at Tls. 137½. Cantons close with buyers at \$345 sellers asking \$350. Yangtzes have buyers at Tls. 192½.

Fire Insurances:—Hongkong Fires have advanced to \$370 sales and buyers. China Fires are now wanted at \$153.

Shipping:—Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboats continue in request at \$281. Douglases are offering at \$334. China Manillas are unchanged at \$8 sellers. Star Ferries are wanted at \$57½. Indo Chinas have been booked at various rates from \$80 to \$90 but close with sellers at \$88. Shell Transports have declined to 98½ ex the right of obtaining one new share at 98½ for every ten old shares. Application for the new issue must be made in London on or before 16th October.

Docks Wharves & Godowns:—Hongkong and Whampoa Docks are enquired for at \$77. Kowloon Wharves have been booked at \$90 and \$91 closing with sellers at the latter rate. Shanghai Docks are wanted at Tls. 55. Sales of Hongkong Wharves are reported at Tls. 108.

Lands Hotels & Buildings:—Hongkong Lands are on offer at \$112. Humphreys Estates have sellers at \$91 and buyers at \$9. Kowloon Lands have been done at \$45; sellers now asking \$48. West Point is weak with sellers at \$72. Hongkong Hotels are unchanged and Shanghai Lands have buyers at Tls. 91.

Refineries:—China Sugars have been an active market, shares changing hands at various rates from \$95 to \$99 cash and equivalent rates forward but close weaker with sellers at \$98. Luzons are unchanged at \$35 sellers.

Mining:—Rauhs have been sold at \$31 closing with further sellers buyers now offering \$3. The output for the past four weeks is 1,017 ozs of gold. Tronohs have further weakened to 50½ middle price in London. Kailans are 32½ middle price. Langkate have again advanced to Tls. 33 buyers, shares have changed hands at various rates from Tls. 27 to Tls. 33.

Cotton Mills:—Hongkong Cottons are quiet with sellers at \$9. Ewes advanced to Tls. 147 buyers early in the week but close easier with no buyers over Tls. 145. Shanghai Cottons are weak at Tls. 124 sellers. Lan Kung Mows are Tls. 106 sellers and Kung Yiks Tls. 141 sellers.

Miscellaneous:—There are buyers of China Borneos at \$92. Dairy Farms at \$28 Green Island Cements at \$61. Hongkong Electrics at \$44 after sales at \$43½ and \$43. Union Waterboats at \$17½ and A. S. Watson at \$71. There are sellers of China Providents at \$9. Ices at \$160 and Steam Laundries at \$4. Low Level Trams have been booked at 9/3 and 9/- closing with sellers at 9/3.

Quotations received from London by cable to-day:—

Banks 279 middle.
Indos 28/15/0
Shells 4/18/0
Tronohs 2/10/0
Ural Caspians 2/11/0
Hongkong Trams 9/0

Intimation.

THE WEEKLY TELEGRAPH.

CONTAINS ALL THE NEWS.

The most complete Mail Supplement in the Colony.

Contains all the news of the week in a most attractive form and is the paper for mailing to friends at home. The photograph this week is entitled, The Peak "Ch'ung Yung" ascending on High Festival October 8, 1913.

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White Slave Act.

Mr. Drew Cammerth was convicted at San Francisco of violating the Mann White Slave Act. The verdict carries a penalty of five years in the Federal prison or a fine of \$5,000 or both. Cammerth and Mr. Diggs, who was recently convicted on a similar charge, will appeal, and are both out on bail.

Public Companies

THE CHINA LIGHT AND POWER CO., LTD.

THE TWELFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, St. George's Buildings, No. 6 Connaught Road, Victoria, on SATURDAY 18th October 1913 at NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st July, 1913 and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY the 15th until SATURDAY, 18th October 1913, both days inclusive. SHEWAN TOMES & CO. General Managers.

Notice

NOTICE.
FOR SALE
VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.
BRITISH CONCRESSION,
Shameen, Canton.

TWO LOT, Nos. 79 and 80, fronting on the Canal Road, each with a frontage of Ninety Feet on the Road, and with a depth of 140 1/2 feet, together with the Buildings erected thereon. The Lots will be sold either separately or together. This property will be put up for Sale at Public Auction on the Premises, commencing at 11.00 a.m. on THURSDAY, the 30th of October, 1913, if not sold privately before that date. The Under-signed reserve the right to reject all bids if no acceptable bids are offered. Parties interested may obtain particulars from—
The China Baptist Publication Society,
Tung Shan, Canton, China.

NOTICE.

LIVERPOOL VICTORIA INSURANCE CORPORATION, LIMITED.

HAVING been appointed Agents in this Colony of the above named Corporation, we are prepared to accept usual fire risks on their behalf.
Dated, 6th October, 1913.
U. BUMJAHN & Co.
6, Des Voeux Road Central.

Notices

FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG.

BANK HOLIDAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all FIRE INSURANCE OFFICES will be CLOSED for the transaction of Public Business on MONDAY 13th October, 1913.
By Order,
A. R. LOWE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 10th Oct., 1913.

MARINE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG.

BANK HOLIDAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all MARINE INSURANCE OFFICES will be CLOSED for the transaction of Public Business on MONDAY 13th October, 1913.
By Order,
A. R. LOWE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 10th Oct., 1913.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of the HEADWATERS MINING COMPANY (INC.) will be held at the Hongkong Hotel on Wednesday, October 22nd, at 4 p.m., to consider the POSITION of the Company and its FUTURE.
By order,
Hongkong, 8th October, 1913.

KOWLOON CANTON

RAILWAY.

(British Section).

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an additional train will leave Kowloon for Sheung Shui (Fauling Golf Links) at 8.35 a.m. on Monday, the 13th October, 1913, calling at Tai Po at 9 a.m. and arriving Sheung Shui at 9.12 a.m.
By order,

H. P. WINSLOW, Manager.

Kowloon, 10th October, 1913.

MARTIN'S APIOL & STEEL PILLS

A French Remedy for all Irregularities. Thousands of Ladies always keep a box of Martin's Pills in the house, so that on the first sign of any irregularity of the System a timely dose may be administered. Those who use them recommend them, hence their enormous sale. All Chemists and Grocers sell them throughout the world, or post free to MARTIN, Chemist, Southampton, Eng.

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Banks

INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION.

Head Office: 60, Wall Street, New York.
London Office: 10, Abchurch Lane, E.C.

BRANCHES:—

Bombay
Calcutta
Canton
Colon
Hankow
Hongkong
Kobe
London
Lyons
Manila
Peking
San Francisco
Shanghai
Yokohama

Capital and Reserve Funds: \$70,000,000 (Gold)

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened on the usual terms.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED, fixed for one year at 4% per annum, or for shorter periods, at rates, which may be ascertained on application.

LETTERS OF CREDIT AND DRAFTS issued on all the principal cities in the world.

THE BANK'S CIRCULAR LETTERS OF CREDIT are available all over the world.

COMMERCIAL LETTERS OF CREDIT issued.

PURCHASE and SALE of Stocks and Shares.

TRAVELLERS' CHECKS sold and cashed.

GEORGE HOGG, Manager.

9, Queen's Road, Hongkong, Hongkong, 1st Nov., 1912 1913

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

Established 1880.

Authorized Capital Yen 48,000,000

Paid-up Capital " 30,000,000

Reserve Fund " 18,500,000

Head Office: YOKOHAMA.

Branches:—

Antung-Hsien
Bombay
Calcutta
Changchun
Dairen
Fengtien
Harbin
Hankow
Hankow
Kobe
Liao-Yang
London
Lyons

Agencies at:—

Nagasaki
Newchwang
New York
Osaka
Peking
Ryokun Port
(Arthur)
San Francisco
Shanghai
Tientsin
Tokyo
Los Angeles

Interest Allowed on Current Account.

Deposits received for fixed periods at rates to be obtained on application.

EISHI ONO, Manager.

Hongkong, 30th Sept., 1913. [18]

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

HEAD OFFICE:—LONDON.

Paid-up Capital £1,200,000

Reserve Fund £1,700,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors £1,200,000

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. S. HEWETT, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1912. [22]

Notices

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

(Capital Paid up: £1,250,000.)

Loans on Mortgage of House Property, &c.

Goods received on Storage.

Advances made on Merchandise.

Loans made on the Provident System.

(Rates and Particulars on application.)

The Office of TRUSTEE, EXECUTOR OF WILLS, ATTORNEY, &c., Undertaken and Executed.

SHEWAN TOMES & Co. General Managers.

Hongkong, 19th March, 1908 32

PEAK TRAMWAY CO., LIMITED.

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Banks

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital £15,000,000

RESERVE FUNDS:

Sterling

£15,000,000 at 2/—

Silver 17,450,000

\$32,450,000

Proprietors £15,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

S. H. Dodwell, Esq.,—Chairman.

Hon. Mr. D. Landale,—Deputy

Chairman.

C. Friesland, Esq.

C. S. Gubbay, Esq.

P. H. Holyoak, Esq.

G. R. Laurence, Esq.

F. Lieb, Esq.

W. L. Pattenden, Esq.

J. A. Plummer, Esq.

Hon. Mr. E. Shillim.

H. A. Siebs, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER:

Hongkong—N. J. Stabb.

Shanghai—A. G. Stephen.

London Bankers—London

County and Westminster

Limited.

Hongkong—Interest Allowed.

On Current Account at the rate

of 2 per cent. per annum on the

daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

For 3 months, 2½ per cent. per

annum.

For 6 months, 3½ per cent. per

annum.

For 12 months, 4 per cent. per

annum.

N. J. STABB, Chief Manager

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK

THE Business of the above

Bank is conducted by the

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION.

Rules may be obtained on ap-

plication.

INTEREST on deposits is al-

lowed on the minimum monthly

balances at 3 Per Cent. per an-

num.

Depositors may transfer at their

option balances of \$100 or more

to the Hongkong and Shanghai

Bank to be placed on FIXED

DEPOSIT at 4 Per Cent. per

annum.

For the Hongkong and Shang-

hai Banking Corporation,

N. J. STABB, Chief Manager.

DEUTSCH ASIATISCHE BANK.

Capital Fully

Paid-up Sh. Tael 7,500,00

Head Office:—Shanghai.

Board of Directors:—Berlin.

Branches:

Berlin Calcutta Canton

Hamburg Hankow Kobe

Peking Singapore Tientsin

Tsinaifu Tsingtau Yokohama.

LONDON BANKERS:

Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Sons.

The Union of London and Smith's

Bank, Limited.

Deutsche Bank (Berlin), London

Agency.

Direction der Disconto Gesell-

schaft.

Dresdner Bank.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[The opinions expressed by our correspondents are not necessarily those of the "Hongkong Telegraph"]

To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Sir,—It is quite impossible to consider a "Faithhealer" in a serious light or to esteem any self-anointed judgment of Mr. Faithhealer, as to what constitutes a higher level when he is totally unworthy to sign his letters with his own name. This attitude of his is dishonest and letters emanating from such a source will not in their motives bear "the acid test" of honesty. As to indulging in personalities I absolutely deny that this has been done by me for a search made in two of the directories of Hongkong failed to disclose the name or address of any person by the name of Faithhealer.

It is a very simple affair to Faithhealer, the self-discovered Don Quixote, who in prodigious conceit and vanity and in imitation of the misguided dreams of his illusory counterpart, expects in less than a column of your paper to propound a question which will annihilate Christian Science by proving it false no matter what answer I may return. This is certainly a hoax upon your readers with Mr. Faithhealer in the title role. Let me urge a new character for dear Mr. Faithhealer to portray in his chameleon-like robes and that is the part of Peter the Hermit. Let him in illustrating this part commence preaching against Christian Science on the street corners of Hongkong and with stately eloquence, for there are many Christian Scientists in Hongkong and I can assure you, Mr. Faithhealer, you will make more of them.

The adherents of Christian Science are increasing so rapidly throughout the world that it will require more than the exquisite genius of elusive Mr. Faithhealer coupled with the eloquence of Peter the Hermit to impede the marvellous increase. However, let us now be very silent and I will whisper the secret of how to stop the wonderful growth of Christian Science—it is for him and those who believe like him to do better and more healing of sin and sickness than do Christian Scientists as they demonstrate their understanding of Christian Science.

My reply to his question is—there is as much truth, actuality, life, intelligence, substance, and revelation in the name of Faithhealer, being the surname of any person in Hongkong as there is in his personality having like qualities and being the creation of God, Spirit.

For the definition of the word "nothing" I commend his attention to any recognized dictionary.

Mr. Faithhealer asserts he has read Science and Health but from it he never gleaned the reasonings nor conclusions which he writes about. It is acknowledged among thoughtful individuals that if we read a book with prejudged views we are unable to gain the author's viewpoint. They know it is necessary for them to approach such work in

the attitude of a student and sympathetically and then they perceive what the author desires to impart. Then it does not necessarily follow that the author's conclusions are agreed with. Mr. Faithhealer announces he has read Science and Health and "claims to know what he is talking about," on the other hand thousands of his fellow men have been healed "of all manner of diseases" by simply reading the book—Science and Health. Still one wave of Mr. Faithhealer's hand disposes of all such healings. They had never been "diagnosed" he says—personal acquaintance with every case enables him to dispute that such cases were ever diagnosed. Certainly like Brutus "he is an honorable man."

In Science, man is perfect but mortal man outside of Science, and "shapen in iniquity" and "conceived in sin" is not God's man or as St. Paul expressed it "they that are in the flesh cannot please God" and again wrote to the Romans "the carnal mind is enmity against God" and "to be carnally minded is death."

The first tenet of Christian Science is—"As adherents of Truth we take the inspired Word of the Bible as our sufficient guide to eternal life." (S. & H. page 497).

Yours &c.

CHARLES E. RICHARDSON,
Christian Science Publication
Committee for Hongkong.
Hongkong, October 10 1913.

TITLES.

To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph."

Sir:—In your issue of October 3 you chide the *London and China Express* for a few blunders, one of which was "Sarawak"—Sept 2, at London, to Her Highness Rina Mada of Sarawak, daughter. You then comment as follows:—"When Mrs. Charles Vyner Brooke reads that her surname is Sarawak, and that she is a 'Highness,' we can imagine that she will be intensely amused. In England, by courtesy, Raja Brooke's heir is 'the Honourable,' and presumably the title is extended to his wife." Is there not a beam in thine own eye, Mr. Editor? For I may tell you that it is a fact that "Mrs Brooke the Ranees," is Her Highness, has a title. Highness for the past three years and will so remain, the title having been conferred upon her by the King three years ago; and that she takes precedence immediately after the sons of Crowned Heads!

Yours etc.

MOTE-BEAM.

Hongkong, October 11, 1913.

SILIMPOPON COAL.

BUNKERS

can be supplied at cheap rates.

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SANDAKAN & SEBATTIK

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At these ports steamers calling for bunker coal exclusively are exempt from all shipping dues and charges.

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H. RUTTONJEE & SON,
14, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

POST OFFICE.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PARCEL MAIL.

The Public are informed that the Christmas Parcel Mail to the United Kingdom and countries beyond will be closed in this Office at 5 p.m. on the 7th of November. This Parcel Mail by the long sea route via Gibraltar is due to reach London on the 15th of December. The following mail of the 21st November will be treated as the New Year Mail, and is due to reach London on the 27th of December. Parcels may be forwarded via Brindisi with an extra fee of 50 cents and with this mail are due in London on the 5th of December.

Parcels containing Gold or Silver must be insured for at least part of their value. All insured parcels must be sealed. All the seals must be of the same colour and must bear the impression of a private device. This device must be the same on each seal. Straight, curved, crossed or dotted lines are not admissible.

Buttons, Coins, Thimbles, cannot be used for sealing.

The Clerks of the Post Office are forbidden to Affix Stamps on letters or Parcels or to seal any article for the Public. Parcels must be in the opinion of the Officer handling them not comply with the regulations and will not be accepted.

It is requested that Parcels be posted early. Monday the 11th instant being a Public Holiday the Post Office will be open from 8 to 9 a.m. There will be one delivery of ordinary correspondence and one collection from the Pillar Boxes on Sundays.

The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

The Tanco Maru with the American Mail ex Nile is due to arrive here on Monday 20th inst.

The Atlantic with the French Mail from Europe is due to arrive here tomorrow at 5 a.m.

MAILS DUE.

French, Atlantic, 11th inst.

MAILS ARRIVED TO-DAY.

Jinca Maru from Bombay
Hainan from Swatow
Laomedon from Singapore

MAILS CLOSE TO-DAY.

Shanghai, North China and Japan via Kobe
via Siberia—Per ATLANTIC QUE, 11th Oct., 4 p.m.

Shanghai and North China (Europe via Siberia)—Per YINGCHOW, 11th inst., 5 p.m.

Straits—Per SACHSEN, 11th Oct., 4 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai and North China—Per CHOYANG, 11th Oct., 5 p.m.

Japan via Yokohama—Per THONGWA, 11th Oct., 5 p.m.

Shanghai and North China—Per CHOYANG, 11th inst., 5 p.m.

Shanghai, North China and Japan via Kobe—Per JINSENG MARU, 11th Oct., 5 p.m.

Hainan, Tientsin and Quinhone—Per HELENE, 11th Oct., 5 p.m.

TO-MORROW.

Swatow, Amoy and Formosa via Tamsui—Per DAIOI MARU, 12th Oct., 9 a.m.

Swatow—Per HAIMUN, 12th Oct., 9 a.m.

Swatow—Per AGHIN, 13th Oct., 9 a.m.

Wei-hai-wei, Chefoo and Tientsin—Per KUEICHOW, 13th Oct., 3 p.m.

Japan via Yokohama—THONGWA, 13th Oct., 5 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Formosa—Per HAITAN, 14th Oct., 10 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Formosa via Amoy and Tamsui—Per BOSHU MARU, 14th inst., 3 p.m.

Shanghai and North China—Per HANGSANG, 14th Oct., 5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 15th October.
Straits, Burmah, Ceylon, Adelaide, Western Australia, India, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Naples—Per GNEISENAU, 15th October, 9 a.m.

Swatow—Per HAIMUN, 15th inst., 10 a.m.

Formosa via Keelung, Shanghai and North China, Japan via Nagasaki, Yokohama and Tientsin—Per MEXICO MARU, 15th inst., 11 a.m.

Straits and Ceylon—Per KOEBER, 15th inst., 3 p.m.

Philippine Islands—Per CHINHUA, 15th inst., 3 p.m.

THURSDAY, 16th October.
Japan via Yokohama—Per LOVAT, 16th inst., 1 p.m.

Shanghai and North China—Per ANHUI, 16th Oct., 3 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Formosa—Per HAIYANG, 16th Oct., 3 p.m.

Straits—Per FAUSANG, 16th Oct., 3 p.m.

FRIDAY, 17th Oct.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa—Per HAIMUN, 17th Oct., 10 a.m.

SATURDAY, 18th October.
Philippine Islands—Per YEUNANG, 18th inst., 1 p.m.

Shanghai and North China (Europe via Siberia)—Per CHENAN, 18th Oct., 5 p.m.

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED.

Jinsen Maru, Jap. s.s. 2,327, J.C. Richards 11th inst.—Singapore 5th inst. Gen.—N.Y.K.

Landrat Schell German steamer 1,016, A. Struve 10 inst.—Saloon 5th inst. Gen.—Siemens & Co.

Helena, Ger. 777, J. Viscen 10th inst.—Swatow, 9th inst. Gen.—Open & Co.

Haimun, British, 641, J. W. Evans 11th inst.—Swatow 10th inst. Gen.—D and L & Co.

Elger, Nor. 875, Fingelson 11th inst.—Dahly 5th inst. Gen.—K. M. Tai.

Sondan, British, 4,698, H. W. Keirich, R.N.R., 10th inst.—Southampton.

Chinhua, British, 1,349, Finlayson 10th inst.—Manilla 7th inst. Gen.—B. and S.

Manchuria, American, 1,739, M. Dixon 11th inst.—San Francisco via Manilla, 9th inst. Gen.—Pacific Mail s.s. Co.

DEPARTED.

October 11.

Wingsang for Canton
Shimosa for New York
Wahsing for Shanghai
Tajah for Bangkok

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.

October 10.

China for London
Fisa Chang for Shanghai
Beiyuan for Yokohama
Haitang for Fochow
City of Baroda for Yokohama
Kuichow for Canton
Taishomaru for Newchwang
Soshu Maru for Canton
Mara for Manzanillo
Sachin for Hamburg

October 11.

Haimun for Swatow
Atlantique for Yokohama
Kwangkee for Canton
Choyang for Shanghai
Helene for Hongkong
Loongang for Manila
Jinsen Maru for Kobe

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per s.s. China arrived 11th inst., from Shanghai.

Boon Ah Kow
Bushell, P. H.
Campbell, J.
Karim, Baksh
Marks, A.
Prior, L.

Pattison, A.
Robinson, Major G.
Shallard, Mrs. H.
W.D.
Schelton, J. P.
Yew Ching Fung

Per s.s. Manchuria arrived 11th inst., from San Francisco.

Ahlfeld, P.
Ahlfeld, Mrs. P.
Braden, Rev. S. R.
Braden, Dr. H.
Braden, Mrs. S. R.
Campbell, Mrs. W.
Campbell, Miss G.
Campbell, Miss E. M.
Campbell, Rev. W. M. L.
Campbell, Mr. D. Powell.
Cunningham, Mrs. C.
Cockson, W. S.
Coase, Jr. G. H.
Dickhoff, F.
Eggers, J. V.
Franklin, Rev. R. Q.
Franklin, Master W.
Franklin, Miss E.
Fernandez, R.
Fernandez, Mrs. R.

Ferrer, A.
Quest, Dr. E.
Gibson, Mrs. E. R.
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WEATHER REPORT.

On the 11th at 11.10.—The high pressure area has intensified and moved eastward. It is now central over the Sea of Japan.

Pressure changes over China are small. At 6 a.m. this morning the centre of the typhoon was in about latitude 15° N. and longitude 125° E. moving W.N.W. at the rate of about 9 miles an hour.

Moderate monsoon may be expected along the south-east coast of China. Cyclonic gales off the west coast of Luzon, to-morrow.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.98 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW.

District. Forecast.

1 Hongkong and Neighbourhood. N.E. winds, moderate to fresh, fine.

2 Formosa Channel. N.E. winds, strong.

3 South coast of China to the same (H.K. and Lamooka) as No. 1.

5 South coast of China to the same (H.K. and Hainan) as No. 1.

China Coast Meteorological Register.

11th October, a.m.

Station. Hour. Barometer. Temperature. Humidity. Direction. Force. Weather.

Westcock 7a 30.35 41 cso 0 b

Nemuro 6a 30.22 wnw 4

Utsunomiya 30.36 0

Tokio 30.36 0

Kochi 30.17 w 1

Nagasaki 30.15 w 4

Kashima 30.13 nne 1

Oshima 29.97 s 1

Naha 30.01 0

Admiralty 30.01 0

Cherpo 30.22 58 90 sw 3 bc

Whitew 30.22 58 90 sw 3 bc

Hankow 30.22 58 90 sw 3 bc

Ichang 30.22 58 90 sw 3 bc

Chungking 30.22 58 90 sw 3 bc

Shanghai 30.22 58 90 sw 3 bc

Gutzlaff 30.22 58 90 sw 3 bc

Sharp 7a 29.92 74 n 1 c

Amoy 6a 29.94 73 67 ne 2 b

Swatow 29.95 70 80 e 1 c

Taihu 5a 29.88 75 80 e 1 c

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